

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a Session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 22nd
day of August, 1995.

In the matter of the application of)
Quarter Call, Inc. for certificate)
of service authority to provide)
private pay telephone service within)
the State of Missouri.)

CASE NO. TA-95-263

ORDER DISMISSING APPLICATION

On March 2, 1995, Quarter Call, Inc. (Applicant) filed an application for a certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service in Missouri. On March 9, 1995, the Commission issued an Order and Notice directing that applications to intervene be filed on or before April 7, 1995. No applications to intervene nor motions for hearing were filed.

On August 14, 1995, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a memorandum concerning the application. Staff states that Applicant filed the application with the intention of providing pay telephone service at a convention which was to be held the subsequent weekend at the Cervantes Convention Center in St. Louis. Applicant indicated that it was not interested in a certificate for any other purpose. Staff informed Applicant that the Commission's rules do not allow receipt of a certificate immediately upon request.

Staff also states that a company representative subsequently confirmed that Applicant was no longer interested in obtaining a certificate to provide pay telephone service in Missouri and agreed to submit a letter withdrawing the application. However, a letter withdrawing the application was never submitted. Staff indicates that it attempted to secure a letter of withdrawal on at least one other occasion but was

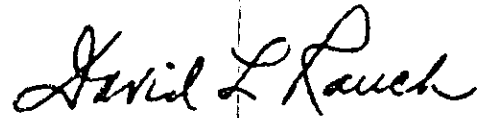
unsuccessful. Staff recommends that the Commission dismiss Applicant's private pay telephone application.

Upon review of the application and Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that Applicant no longer intends to provide private pay telephone service in Missouri. Thus, the Commission determines that the application should be dismissed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the application filed by Quarter Call, Inc. is hereby dismissed.
2. That this Order shall become effective on September 1, 1995.

BY THE COMMISSION



David L. Rauch
Executive Secretary

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Mueller, Chm., McClure, Kincheloe,
Crumpton and Drainer, CC., Concur.